

Lister

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BABY 4-PLY
QUALITIES

18-19 INS. CHEST
45.5-48 cm.

7p

250

baby knitting



IMPORTANT

LISTER BEL AIR and BABY BEL

WASHING

HAND WASH in warm soap or detergent. A thorough rinse followed by removal of excess moisture either by rolling in a towel or spin drying for a few seconds.

DRYING

Care should be taken to avoid drying at too high a temperature and never in the direct heat from a fire or radiator. If tumbler drying is employed keep temperature below 60°C. for minimum time needed to dry garment.

PRESSING

If pressing is desired a **DRY CLOTH** and **COOL IRON** only must be used. Only press lightly

Measurements

COAT

To fit Chest: 18-19ins. 45.5-48cm.

Length: 9ins. (22.9cm.)

Sleeve Seam: 5½ins. (14cm.)

BOOTEES

Length of Foot: 4ins. (10.2cm.)

Materials

COAT

4 Balls Lister Bel Air Crepe for 4-ply Knitting.
4 ozs. Lister Lavenda 4-ply Knitting Wool.
4 Balls Lister Nursery Time Baby Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
3 Balls Lister Baby Bel Baby 4-ply Courtelle.
4 Balls Lister Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
Pair each Nos. 10 and 11 Knitting Needles.
5 Small Buttons. Ribbon.

BONNET

1 Ball Lister Bel Air Crepe for 4-ply Knitting.
1 oz. Lister Lavenda 4-ply Knitting Wool.
1 Ball Lister Nursery Time Baby Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
1 Ball Lister Baby Bel Baby 4-ply Courtelle.
1 Ball Lister Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
Pair each Needles Nos. 12 and 10. ¾yard (68.5cm) ¼ins. (7mm) Ribbon.
1 yard (91.5cm.) ½ins. (1.3cm) Ribbon.

Materials

BOOTEES

1 Ball Lister Bel Air Crepe for 4-ply Knitting.
1 oz. Lister Lavenda 4-ply Knitting Wool.
1 Ball Lister Nursery Time Baby Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
1 Ball Lister Baby Bel Baby 4-ply Courtelle.
1 Ball Lister Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
1 yard (91.5cm) ¼ins. (7mm) ribbon.
Pair Needles No. 11.

MITTENS

1 Ball Lister Bel Air Crepe for 4-ply Knitting.
1 oz. Lister Lavenda 4-ply Knitting Wool.
1 Ball Lister Nursery Time Baby Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
1 Ball Lister Baby Bel Baby 4-ply Courtelle.
1 Ball Lister Super Crimp Bri-Nylon 4-ply.
Pair No. 11 Knitting Needles.
¾ yard (68.5cm) ¼ins. (7mm) ribbon.

The quantities of yarn stated are based on average requirements and are therefore approximate.

COAT

FRONT

With No. 10 needles, cast on 86sts. and work 3 rows in g.st. Continue in pattern:—

1st row. (Right side) K1, * (K2tog.) twice, (y.fwd., K1) 4 times, y.fwd., (K2tog.) 3 times, repeat from * to last st., K1.
2nd and 3rd rows. Knit.

4th row. Purl.

These 4 rows form the pattern. Repeat them until 13 complete patterns have been worked, then work first 2 rows of pattern.

Mark both ends of this row. Continue in pattern until 2nd row of 15th pattern has been worked.

Next row. * K2, K2tog., repeat from * to last 2 sts., K2. (65sts.)

Slip these sts. on to a spare needle.

LEFT BACK

With No. 10 needles, cast on 48sts. and work 3 rows in g.st.

Next row. (Right side) K5, * (K2tog.) twice, (y.fwd., K1) 4 times, y.fwd., (K2tog.) 3 times, repeat from * to last st., K1.

Next row. Knit to last 4sts., turn, slip last 4sts. on to a safety pin.

Continue on remaining 44sts. in pattern until 2nd row of 14th pattern has been worked. Mark this row. Work in pattern until 2nd row of 15th pattern has been worked.

Next row. * K2, K2tog. repeat from * to end. (33sts.)

RIGHT BACK

With No. 10 needles, cast on 48sts. and work 3 rows in g.st.

Next row. K1, * (K2tog.) twice, (y.fwd., K1) 4 times, y.fwd., (K2tog.) 3 times, repeat from * to last 5sts., K1, slip next 4sts. on to a safety pin, turn and continue on remaining 44sts. as for Left Back.

SLEEVES

With No. 11 needles, cast on 32sts. and work one inch (2.5cm.) in K1, P1 rib., increasing evenly 26 times along last row.

Change to No. 10 needles and work in pattern until 2nd row of 14th pattern has been worked. Mark both ends of this row, then continue until 2nd row of 15th pattern has been worked.

Next row. * K2, K2tog. repeat from * to last 2sts., K2. (44sts.)

Baby's Matinee Coat, Bonnet, Bootees and Mittens

IN LISTER BABY 4-PLY QUALITIES

IMPORTANT To obtain a perfect result of the design illustrated it is essential that you use one of the Lister qualities recommended and work to the tension given. No responsibility can be accepted if wool or yarn other than Lister is used. Be sure to purchase sufficient wool or yarn to complete your garment, otherwise you may have difficulty in matching.

The design illustrated on the front cover was worked in Lister Bel Air Crepe for 4-ply Knitting.

Tension

7½sts. equal one inch (2.5cm)

No. 11 needles.

N.B.

The tension of the knitting controls the size of the finished garment. Before commencing cast on 15sts. and work in pattern for 18 rows. If your sample has less sts. per inch (2.5cm) than our tension, try again with smaller needles and vice versa, then work the garment on the needles which produce our tension.

Casting On - Thumb Method

2 yards (1m.83cm.) from the end twist the yarn (wool) round the left thumb to make a loop and knit this loop on to the needle from the ball of yarn (wool). Repeat till required number of sts. are on the needle making the loop from the 2 yards (1m.83cm.) and knitting from the ball. This method of casting on should always be used.

Abbreviations

K. - knit; p. - purl; y.fwd. - yarn forward;
g.st. - garter stitch (every row knit);
tog. - together; sts. - stitches;
cm. - centimetres; ins. - inches;
mm. - millimetre.

YOKE

Place pattern pieces on to No. 11 needles in following order:- Left Back, Left Sleeve, Front, Right Sleeve, Right Back. (219sts.)

1st row. (Wrong side facing) Knit.

2nd row. Purl.

3rd row. K1, * y.fwd., K2tog., repeat from * to end of row.

4th row. Purl.

5th row. Knit.

6th to 11th rows. Commencing with a knit row, work 6 rows in st.st.

12th row. K1, K2tog. across row (146sts.)

13th to 16th rows. Commencing with a knit row, work 4 rows in st.st.

17th to 22nd rows. Commencing with a purl row, work 6 rows in st.st.

23rd row. * P1, P2tog., repeat from * to last 2sts., P2. (98sts.)

24th to 27th rows. Commencing with a purl row, work 4 rows in st.st.

28th to 33rd rows. Commencing with a knit row, work 6 rows in st.st.

34th row. * K1, (K2tog.) 3 times, repeat from * to end. (56sts.)

35th row. Knit.

36th row. Purl.

37th row. K1, * y.fwd., K2tog., repeat from * to last st., K1.

38th row. Purl.

Cast off knitwise.

TO MAKE UP

Matching row markings stitch underarm seams. Sew side and sleeve seams. Slip 4sts. of Left Back Band on to No. 11 needles and work in g.st. until slightly stretched band equals back length. Cast off.

Stitch into position and sew 5 equally spaced buttons on, the top one being ¼ins. (7mm) from cast off and the bottom one being 1½ins. (3.8cm.) from lower edge. Complete Right Band to match but work buttonholes (right side facing) to correspond with buttons by working row K1, y.fwd., K2tog., K1.

Thread ribbon through neck and Yoke eyelets. Stitch small bow at centre front yoke eyelets.

BONNET

With No. 12 needles, cast on 86sts. and work 8 rows in K1,

P1 rib.

Change to No. 10 needles and work 8 complete patterns, then work first two pattern rows once.

Next row. Purl.

Next row. P1, * y.fwd., P2tog., repeat from * to last st., P1.

Next row. Purl.

Next row. Knit.

SHAPE BACK

1st row. K2tog., K1, * K8, K2tog., repeat from * to last

3sts., K1, K2tog.

2nd and each alternate row. Knit.

3rd row. K2tog., * K7, K2tog., repeat from * to last

2sts., K2.

5th row. K1, * K6, K2tog., repeat from * to last 2sts., K2.

7th row. K1, * K5, K2tog., repeat from * to last 2sts., K2.

9th row. K1, * K4, K2tog., repeat from * to last 2 sts., K2.

11th row. K1, * K3, K2tog., repeat from * to last 2sts., K2.

13th row. K1, * K2, K2tog., repeat from * to last 2 sts., K2.

15th row. * K2tog., repeat from * to last st., K1.

Sew up back seam. Thread $\frac{1}{4}$ ins. (7mm.) ribbon through Crown eyelets. Divide $\frac{1}{2}$ ins. (1.3cm) ribbon and stitch into position. Stitch small bow at centre of crown eyelets.

BOOTEES

With No. 11 needles, cast on 44sts. and work 3 rows in g.st. Continue in pattern until 2nd row of 6th pattern has been worked. ***

Next row. Knit, decreasing 5sts. evenly along row. (39sts.)

Next row. P1, * y.fwd., P2tog., repeat from * to end of row.

Next row. Knit.

Next row. Purl.

SHAPE INSTEP

Knit 24sts., turn, purl 9sts., turn.

Continue on these 9sts., in st.st. until instep measures 2ins.

With right side facing, pick up and knit 11sts. down left

side of instep, knit across 15sts. on left hand needle.

Next row. Purl 35sts., pick up and purl 11sts. down right

side of instep, purl remaining 15sts.

Commencing with a purl row work 4 rows in st.st.

Next row. Knit.

Next row. P1, * y.fwd., P2tog., repeat from * to end.

Next row. Knit.

Commencing with a knit row, work 4 rows in g.st. Purl one row.

SHAPE FOOT

1st row. K2tog., K22, K2tog., K9, K2tog., K22, K2tog.

2nd and every alternate row. Purl.

3rd row. K2tog., K20, K2tog., K9, K2tog., K20, K2tog.

5th row. K2tog., K18, K2tog., K9, K2tog., K18, K2tog.

6th row. Purl.

Cast off.

TO MAKE UP

Join foot and leg seams. Thread ribbon through foot eyelets and stitch ends to back seam. Thread ribbon through ankle eyelets.

MITTENS

With No. 11 needles, cast on 44sts. and work as Bootees to ***

Next row. (right side facing): Purl, decreasing 6sts. evenly along row. (38sts.)

Next row. P1, * y.fwd., P2tog., repeat from * to end.

Next row. Purl.

Next row. Knit.

Work 18 rows in st.st., commencing with a knit row.

SHAPE TOP

1st row. * K3, K2tog., repeat from * to last 3sts., K3.

2nd and every alternate row. Purl.

3rd row. * K2, K2tog., repeat from * to last 3sts., K3.

5th row. * K1, K2tog., repeat from * to end.

6th row. Purl.

TO MAKE UP

Stitch top and side seam. Thread ribbon through eyelets.

WASHING HINTS

1. Dissolve soap flakes or suitable detergent *thoroughly* in warm water.
2. *Gently* squeeze garment in the solution. *Do not rub*, as this would fluff the wool.
3. Do not *stretch* the wet garment in any way — support with the hands when lifting from the water.
4. *Rinse* in *several* warm waters *thoroughly* to remove soap.
5. Squeeze well.
6. To dry, place on a clean towel on a *flat surface*, mould to shape with the hands, cover with clean paper, and leave until dry.

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